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1. Attached is a report of traffic on the Trans-Caspian Railway through Dushak, Turkmen SSR, and of road traffic to and from Dushak for the period 7 to 18 October 1952.

2. Omission of certain whole or half days was [REDACTED] because of inclement weather. The omissions can, therefore, be taken as an indication of the number of days of poor visibility in the area. [REDACTED]

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>TRAFFIC</u>	<u>SECRET</u> <u>DIRECTION</u>	<u>TIME</u>	Rail: <u>No of Cars</u> [REDACTED]	25X1
				Road: <u>Type Vehicle</u> [REDACTED]	Attachment
7/10/52	Rail	eastbound	0636	1 train, 32 tank cars 4 axle and 26 tank cars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	0706	1 train, 22 boxcars 4 axle and 30 boxcars 2 axle, all red.	
		eastbound	0825	1 train, 2 boxcars 4 axle and 19 gondola cars 4 axle, all red.	
		westbound	0900	1 train, 18 boxcars 4 axle, 11 box- cars 2 axle and 16 flat cars 2 axle, all red.	
		eastbound	1016	1 train, 4 red boxcars 2 axle.	
		westbound	1220	1 train, 15 passenger cars 4 axle, 1 passenger car 2 axle, all green.	
		eastbound	1440	1 train, 28 boxcars 4 axle, 14 box- cars 2 axle and 3 gondola cars 4 axle, all red.	
		westbound	1610	1 train, 29 tank cars 4 axle and 2 tank cars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	1718	1 train, 2 locomotives, 25 boxcars 4 axle, 31 boxcars 2 axle, 6 hopper cars 2 axle and 8 flat cars 4 axle, all red.	
		Road	Post-i-Khojeh to Dushak	0625	1 army truck
	Dushak to Kaakha	0710	1 truck		
	Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh	0904	1 army truck		
	Dushak to North	1000	1 truck		
	Dushak to Bulan	1012	1 truck		
	Serakhs to Dushak	1100	1 truck		
	Dushak to Post-i-Khojeh	1216	1 truck		
	North to Dushak	1411	1 truck		
	Dushak to Tedzhend	1620	1 truck		
	Bulan to Post-i-Shurjeh	1700	1 army truck		
	Post-i-Shurjeh to Dushak	1730	1 army truck		
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8/10/52	Rail	westbound	0648	1 train, 12 boxcars 4 axle, 17 boxcars 2 axle and 14 flat cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	0720	1 train, 33 red tank cars 2 axle.
		eastbound	0735	1 train, 52 boxcars 2 axle, 9 box- cars 4 axle and 5 flat cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	0910	1 train, 6 boxcars 4 axle and 3 flat cars 2 axle, all white.
		eastbound	1005	1 train, steam locomotive, 12 hopper cars 4 axle and 5 hopper cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	1145	1 train, 24 boxcars 4 axle and 19 boxcars 2 axle, all red.
		eastbound	1300	1 train, 2 locomotives, 31 boxcars 4 axle, 15 boxcars 2 axle, 6 flat cars 2 axle and 9 tank cars 4 axle, all red.
		westbound	1450	1 train, 12 boxcars 4 axle, 42 box- cars 2 axle and 3 flat cars 4 axle, all red.
		eastbound	1714	1 train, 16 tank cars 2 axle and 5 tank cars 4 axle, all red.
		Road	Dushak to North	0700
	Dushak to Kaakha	0725	1 truck	
	Dushak to Serakhs	0800	1 truck	
	Post-i-Shurjeh to Dushak	0930	1 truck	
	Aqcheh Qaleh to Dushak	1012	1 truck	
	Post-i-Khojeh to Dushak	1145	1 truck	
	Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh	1305	2 trucks	
	Dushak to Post-i-Khojeh	1415	1 jeep	
	Post-i-Shurjeh to Bulan	1510	1 truck	
	Dushak to Kaakha	1630	2 trucks	
	Malek Azhdar to Dushak	1700	1 truck	
9/10/52	Rail	eastbound	0635	1 train, 27 boxcars 4 axle, 15 box- cars 2 axle, 11 flat cars 2 axle and 6 tank cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	0700	1 train, 12 boxcars 4 axle, 16 gondola cars 4 axle and 5 flat cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	0809	1 train, 26 tank cars 2 axle and 16 tank cars 4 axle, all red.
		eastbound	0830	1 train, 15 boxcars 4 axle, 18 box- cars 2 axle, 20 flat cars 2 axle, 7 tank cars 2 axle and 6 hopper cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	1036	1 train, 14 passenger cars 4 axle, 2 passenger cars 2 axle, all green.
		eastbound	1240	1 green locomotive.

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9/10/52 (cont'd)	Rail	Westbound	1455	1 train, 25 red tank cars 2 axle.
		westbound	1600	1 train, 5 boxcars 4 axle, 18 gondola cars 4 axle and 3 flat cars 2 axle, all red.
		eastbound	1708	1 train, 31 tank cars 2 axle and 4 tank cars 4 axle, all red.
Road	Serakhs to Dushak		0650	2 trucks
	North to Dushak		0715	1 truck
	Dushak to North		0730	1 truck
	Dushak to Kaakha		0800	1 truck
	Dushak to Tedzhend		0800	2 trucks
	Flour Mill to Dushak		0910	1 truck
	Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh		1019	1 truck
	Dushak to Kaakha		1200	1 truck
	Post-i-Shurjeh to Dushak		1236	1 truck
	Dushak to Serakhs		1409	1 truck
	Dushak to Kaakha		1550	1 truck
	Dushak to North		1630	1 truck
12/10/52	Rail	westbound	0700	1 train, 13 boxcars 2 axle, 19 gondola cars 2 axle and 8 flat cars 2 axle, all red.
		eastbound	0710	1 train, 16 tank cars 4 axle and 27 tank cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	0910	1 train, 4 red boxcars 2 axle.
		westbound	1008	1 train, 27 boxcars 4 axle, 12 tank cars 2 axle, 16 boxcars 2 axle, 7 flat cars 2 axle and 9 hopper cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	1100	1 train, 13 passenger cars 4 axle, 1 passenger cars 2 axle, all green.
		eastbound	1148	1 train, 34 tank cars 2 axle and 8 tank cars 4 axle, all red.
		westbound	1349	1 train, steam locomotive, 14 red hopper cars 4 axle.
		eastbound	1410	1 train, 10 boxcars 4 axle, 8 boxcars 2 axle, 9 tank cars 2 axle, 11 gondola cars 4 axle and 2 flat cars 2 axle, all red.
		westbound	1700	1 train, 36 boxcars 2 axle, 11 boxcars 4 axle and 5 flat cars 2 axle, all red.
		eastbound	1718	1 green locomotive.
Road	Dushak to Kaakha		0620	1 truck
	Bulan to Dushak		0639	1 truck
	Serakhs to Dushak		0700	1 jeep
	Post-i-Shurjeh to Dushak		0712	2 trucks
	North to Dushak		0834	1 truck
	Dushak to Post-i-Khojeh		1010	1 truck

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12/10/52 (cont'd)	Road	Aqcheh Qaleh to Dushak Post-i-Khojeh to Post-i-Shurjeh Dushak to Tedzhend Dushak to Serakhs Post-i-Shurjeh to Bulan	1200 1400 1512 1620 1705	1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck
13/10/52	Rail	eastbound westbound eastbound westbound westbound eastbound westbound eastbound westbound westbound	0618 0636 0809 0918 1115 1220 1403 1517 1600 1710	1 train, 32 boxcars 2 axle, 22 boxcars 4 axle and 1 flat car 2 axle, all red. 1 train, 27 tank cars 2 axle and 18 tank cars 4 axle, all red. 1 train, 32 gondola cars 4 axle and 10 flat cars 2 axle, all red. 1 train, 25 boxcars 4 axle, 30 boxcars 2 axle, 5 tank cars 2 axle and 2 tank cars 4 axle, all red. 1 train, 15 passenger cars 4 axle, 1 passenger car < axle, all green. 1 train, 37 tank cars 2 axle and 9 tank cars 4 axle, all red. 1 train, 18 boxcars 4 axle and 5 boxcars 2 axle, all white. 1 train, 18 red tank cars 2 axle. 1 train, 12 boxcars 4 axle, 21 boxcars 2 axle, 14 flat cars 2 axle, 3 tank cars 2 axle and 7 hopper cars 2 axle, all red. 1 train, 29 tank cars 2 axle and 17 tank cars 4 axle, all red.
	Road	Dushak to Serakhs Dushak to Tedzhend Post-i-Shurjeh to Post-i-Khojeh Dushak to North Dushak to Aqcheh Qaleh Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh Post-i-Khojeh to Dushak Dushak to Malek Azhdar Dushak to Tedzhend Dushak to Kaazha	0649 0705 0719 0929 1007 1130 1429 1510 1650 1700	1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck 1 truck
14/10/52	Rail	westbound westbound eastbound	0635 0712 0730	1 train, 18 tank cars 4 axle and 24 tank cars 2 axle, all red. 1 train, 26 boxcars 4 axle, 31 boxcars 2 axle, 4 tank cars 2 axle and 7 flat cars 2 axle, all red. 1 train, steam locomotive, 14 hopper cars 4 axle and 7 hopper cars 2 axle, all red.

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14/10/52 (cont'd)	Rail	westbound	0900	1 train, 14 boxcars 4 axle, 19 gondola cars 4 axle and 1 flat car 2 axle, all red.	
		eastbound	0935	1 green locomotive.	
		westbound	1112	1 train, 29 tank cars 4 axle and 13 tank cars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	1252	1 train, 13 passenger cars 4 axle, 2 passenger cars 2 axle, all green.	
		eastbound	1320	1 train, 24 red boxcars 2 axle.	
		westbound	1455	1 train, 17 boxcars 2 axle and 34 boxcars 4 axle, all red.	
		eastbound	1629	1 train, 5 red boxcars 2 axle.	
		westbound	1722	1 train, 43 red tank cars 2 axle.	
	Road	North to Dushak		0710	2 trucks
		Serakhs to Dushak		0800	1 truck
Bulan to Dushak			0810	1 truck	
Dushak to Kaakha			0930	1 truck	
Dushak to Flour Mill			1000	1 truck	
Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh			1100	1 truck	
Dushak to Tedzhend			1219	2 trucks	
Dushak to North			1300	1 truck	
Dushak to Serakhs			1436	1 truck	
Post-i-Shurjeh to Dushak			1507	1 truck	
17/10/52	Dushak to Tedzhend		1620	1 truck	
	Rail	westbound	0615	1 train, 27 tank cars 4 axle and 33 tank cars 2 axle, all red.	
		eastbound	0730	1 train, 11 boxcars 4 axle and 18 boxcars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	0849	1 train, 12 boxcars 4 axle, 19 boxcars 2 axle, 10 flat cars 2 axle, 4 gondola cars 4 axle and 7 hopper cars 2 axle, all red.	
		eastbound	1108	1 train, 14 boxcars 2 axle and 2 flat cars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	1309	1 train, 15 passenger cars 4 axle, 2 passenger cars 2 axle, all green.	
		eastbound	1425	1 train, 30 boxcars 4 axle, 21 boxcars 2 axle, 11 flat cars 2 axle and 7 tank cars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	1700	1 train, 17 tank cars 4 axle and 27 tank cars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	1712	1 train, 35 boxcars 4 axle, 19 boxcars 2 axle and 7 flat cars 2 axle, all red.	
	Road	North to Dushak	0650	1 truck	
	Dushak to Tedzhend		0700	1 truck	
	Flour Mill to Dushak		0750	1 truck	
	Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh		0830	1 truck	

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17/10/52 (cont'd)	Road	Dushak to Keakha	0941	1	truck
		Post-i-Shurjeh to Post-i-Khojeh	1119	1	truck
		Dushak to North	1230	2	trucks
		Post-i-Shurjeh to Dushak	1300	1	truck
		Dushak to Serakhs	1434	2	trucks
		Bulan to Dushak	1600	1	jeep
		Dushak to Tedzhend	1711	1	truck
18/10/52	Rail	westbound	1000	1 train, 3 boxcars 4 axle, <u>extra long, white</u> , 6 flat cars 2 axle, 20 boxcars 4 axle and 32 boxcars 2 axle, all red.	
		eastbound	1030	1 train, 2 locomotives, 16 boxcars 4 axle and 30 boxcars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	1219	1 train, 15 passenger cars and 4 axle, 1 passenger car 2 axle, all green.	
		eastbound	1300	1 train, 12 boxcars 4 axle, 13 boxcars 2 axle, and 15 tank cars 2 axle, all red.	
		westbound	1435	1 train, 10 boxcars 4 axle, 8 flat cars 2 axle and 14 boxcars 2 axle, all red.	
	Road	Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh	0930	1	army truck
		Post-i-Shurjeh to Dushak	1000	1	army truck
		Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh	1100	1	army truck
		Dushak to Post-i-Shurjeh	1130	1	army truck
		Post-i-Shurjeh to Dushak	1211	1	army truck
		Dushak to Serakhs	1300	1	army truck
		Dushak to Serakhs	1411	1	jeep

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2. The following is a tabulation for the period of time covered by this report and includes daily averages of the preceding months.

1952	<u>RAILROAD</u>				<u>VEHICULAR</u>			
	<u>East</u>	<u>Trains</u>	<u>Cars</u>	<u>West</u>	<u>Trains</u>	<u>Cars</u>	<u>East</u>	<u>West</u>
							<u>North</u>	<u>South</u>
7 Oct.	4	128		5	214		1	2
8 Oct.	4	165		5	185		1	3
9 Oct.	3	160		5	142		3	5
		1 locomotive						
12 Oct.	3	125		6	195		3	2
		1 locomotive						
13 Oct.	4	161		6	249		2	3
14 Oct.	3	50		7	295		4	2
		1 locomotive						
17 Oct.	3	114		5	234		4	2
18 Oct.	2	86		3	109		2	3
(daily avge.)								
October	4	150		5	174		3	2
Sept.	5	191		5	167		3	5
August	5	189		6	169		3	5
July	5	210		6	180		5	7
June	5	183		6	176		5	3
May	5	164		5	170		4	2

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